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A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

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B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)
A61K

Documentation searched other than minimum documentation to the extent that such documents are included in the fields searched

Electronic data base consulted during the international search (name of data base and, where practical, search terms used)

EPO-Internal, CHEM ABS Data, WPI Data, EMBASE, BIOSIS

C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category*	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
X	US 6 231 880 B1 (PERRINE SUSAN P [US]) 15 May 2001 (2001-05-15) column 10, paragraph 6 column 12, paragraph 2 claim 2 column 25, paragraph 3	1,3-7,9, 10,12-15
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A	YAMADA, KATSUHISA ET AL: "Inhibitory effect of diacetyl gentisic acid on melanogenesis" NIPPON KOSHON KAGAKKAISHI , 22(3), 169-174 CODEN: NKKAEV; ISSN: 0287-1238, 1998, XP008088000 abstract -----	

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Box No. II Observations where certain claims were found unsearchable (Continuation of item 2 of first sheet)

This international search report has not been established in respect of certain claims under Article 17(2)(a) for the following reasons:

1. ☒ Claims Nos.:
because they relate to subject matter not required to be searched by this Authority, namely:

Although claim 15 is directed to a method of treatment of the human/animal body, the search has been carried out and based on the alleged effects of the compound/composition.
2. ☐ Claims Nos.:
because they relate to parts of the international application that do not comply with the prescribed requirements to such an extent that no meaningful international search can be carried out, specifically:
3. ☐ Claims Nos.:
because they are dependent claims and are not drafted in accordance with the second and third sentences of Rule 6.4(a).

Box No. III Observations where unity of invention is lacking (Continuation of item 3 of first sheet)

This International Searching Authority found multiple inventions in this international application, as follows:

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1. ☐ As all required additional search fees were timely paid by the applicant, this international search report covers allsearchable claims.
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4. ☒ No required additional search fees were timely paid by the applicant. Consequently, this international search report is restricted to the invention first mentioned in the claims; it is covered by claims Nos.:

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- ☐ No protest accompanied the payment of additional search fees.

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This International Searching Authority found multiple (groups of) inventions in this international application, as follows:

1. claims: 1, 3-7, 9-10, 12-15 (partially)

Use of a compound of Formula (I') or pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate, isomer or prodrug thereof in the manufacturing of a medicament for the treatment and/or prophylaxis of leukemia and other hematological dyscrasias

2. claims: 1, 3-7, 9-10, 12-15 (partially)

Use of a compound of Formula (I') or pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate, isomer or prodrug thereof in the manufacturing of a medicament for improving the efficacy of chemotherapy, radiation therapy and/or cancer immunotherapy

3. claims: 2, 8, 11, 16, 17 (completely); 3-6, 9, 10, 12-14 (partially)

Use of a compound of Formula (I'') or pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate, isomer or prodrug thereof in the manufacturing of a medicament for the treatment and/or prophylaxis of cancer of an organ

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